

**IDAHO SPEECH, HEARING AND COMMUNICATION SERVICES LICENSURE
BOARD**

Bureau of Occupational Licenses
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Conference Call Minutes of 1/30/2020

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Gayle L Chaney - Chair
Barbra Osterhout
Kevin C Woodall
Teresa Lee Rose
La Vona Andrew
Cynthia K Olsen

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Kenneth W Nuhn

BUREAU STAFF: Dawn Hall, Deputy Bureau Chief
Lori Peel, Investigative Unit Manager
Nicholas Krema, General Counsel
Betsy Duncan, Board Specialist

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 AM MST by Gayle L Chaney.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Ms. Osterhout made a motion to approve the minutes of 12/12/2019. It was seconded by Mr. Woodall. Motion carried.

COMPLAINT MEMORANDUM

Ms. Peel gave the investigative report, which is linked above.

DISCIPLINE

Ms. Andrews made a motion to close case number SHS-2017-3. It was seconded by Mr. Woodall. Motion carried.

FOR BOARD DETERMINATION

Ms Rose made a motion to approve the Bureau's recommendation and authorize closure in case number I-SHS-2020-6 with an advisory letter. It was seconded by Ms. Andrews. Motion carried.

Ms. Peel presented a proposed letter for the Board to send to licensees who report having received a misdemeanor DUI conviction. Ms. Andrew made a motion to approve use of the letter with noted revisions. Ms. Osterhout seconded it. The motion carried. Ms. Olsen voted "nay."

BUREAU BUSINESS

LAWS AND RULES

Ms. Hall presented a legislative update. She said that the Board's proposed rules have passed both legislative bodies.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Ms. Andrew made a motion that the Board go into executive session under Idaho Code § 74-206(1)(d) to consider records that are exempt from disclosure under the Idaho Public Records Law, Idaho Code § 74-106(9). The purpose of the executive session was to consider documents relating to the fitness of an applicant to be granted a license or registration. It was seconded by Ms. Osterhout. The vote was: Ms. Andrew, aye; Ms. Chaney, aye; Ms. Olsen, aye; Ms. Osterhout, aye; Ms. Rose, aye; and Mr. Woodall, aye. Motion carried.

Ms. Osterhout made a motion to come out of executive session. It was seconded by Mr. Woodall. Motion carried.

PRACTICAL EXAM QUESTIONS

Ms. Rose made a motion to approve the Idaho Practical Exam for hearing aid dealer/fitter applicants as presented. It was seconded by Ms. Olsen. Motion carried.

TO DO LIST

The Board reviewed the To Do List. No action was taken.

BOARD BUSINESS

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

The Chair asked that this report be held over for the March face-to-face meeting.

APPLICATIONS

Ms. Osterhout made a motion to approve the following for licensure:

HAZARD RACHEL	SIGN-4216
HUIZENGA ELIZABETH	SLP-4204
LOEB JULIA	SLP-4218
MARSDEN TYSON	SLPA-4201
ROBERTS MALLORY	SLP-4224
SCHMIDT MEGAN	SLP-4217

Approve for examination:

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It was seconded by Ms. Olsen. Motion carried.

Ms. Andrew made a motion to approve the following pending receipt of additional information and review by a Board member of the same discipline:

901172120	901172269
901172502	901171789
901172286	901172501
901145043	

It was seconded by Ms. Osterhout. Motion carried.

CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR LICENSE REINSTATEMENT

Ms. Osterhout made a motion for approval of the CE submissions as presented. It was seconded by Mr. Woodall. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

The Board reviewed correspondence from the Idaho Speech Language Hearing Association and from Amy Harding, Idaho State University Meridian Health Sciences Center, in support of a proposed interstate compact. Further discussion was tabled until the February Board meeting in order to include Ms. Packer.

DISCUSSION OF OUT OF STATE SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER REGISTRATIONS

The Board discussed the intended goals for registrations; allowing for short-term, occasional work assignments instead of video-relay purposes.

Ms. Andrew made a motion to table further discussion of registrations and deaf interpreter regulation to include Rob McQuade. It was seconded by Ms. Osterhout. Motion carried.

NEXT MEETING was confirmed for February 25, 2020 at 8:30 AM MST.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Osterhout made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:42 AM MST. It was seconded by Mr. Woodall. Motion carried.

Gayle L Chaney, Chair